

The Lynn County News

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Tahoka's Christmas Party Is Saturday

Schools Close For Christmas Holidays

Many Christmas Parties Are Held

Students and faculty members of Tahoka Public Schools will observe the Christmas holidays beginning this afternoon, December 20 until Monday, December 30, announced W. T. Hanes, superintendent of Tahoka schools.

The five classes in high school are having their Christmas tree this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock in the auditorium. Studnets will exchange gifts. Many of the students plan to give their gifts to members of the Rotary Club to be distributed to the underprivileged children of the town. The public schools cooperated with the Rotary Club in collecting toys for this worthy project.

A Christmas program, under the direction of John Hamblen was presented at the Christmas tree. Members of the seventh grade chorus dressed in white choir robes sang Christmas carols. Mr. Leslie Browning was in charge of buying the fruit, candy and nuts for the students. The auditorium and Christmas tree was decorated under the supervision of Miss Ruby Nell Smith and a committee of the following high school girls; Betty Sue Roberts, Greta Applewhite, Mary Beth Fenton, Joycelyn Maasen, Mary Beth Roddy, Lenore Anglin, Jeanne Simmons and Billie Lee Burleson.

Grade school children are having their Christmas trees in the various home rooms this afternoon. Many of the rooms have been decorated beautifully by the teachers and pupils.

Many activities were scheduled on the school calendar the past two weeks. The calendar was particularly crowded this last week. Monday night members of the Tahoka Teachers Association attended a Christmas party in the gymnasium where gifts were exchanged and games, bridge and forty-two were played during the evening. Mr. Leo Jackson, Mr. Leslie Browning and Mrs. Louise Wyatt were in charge of arrangements.

The first band concert of the year, under the direction of Mr. Hamblen, was given Tuesday night in the high school auditorium. Uniformed members of the junior band made

New Books At Local Library

Popularity of the Lynn County Library is bringing a great demand for books, according to the librarian, and more than thirty new books were added to the shelves the past few days.

The library now has a total of 813 books, though it was started only a few months ago. There have been 483 membership cards signed, and there are about 350 regular users of the library.

Following are the books added in the past few days, most of these being western, adventure, and detective stories: Moon's Our Home, Trail Driver, Hotel Hostess, Modern Marriage, Marry in Haste, Week End Marriage, One is Beloved, If With All Your Hearts, Tuesday Never Comes, I'll Get Over It, Here Comes the Sun, First Woman, Without Charm, Rancher's Revenge, Men Act That Way, Lighted Windows, Women Are Difficult, Other Gods, The Farm, Case of Stuttering-Bishop, Case of Dangerous Dowager, Case of Curious Bride, Case of Substitute Face, The Caretaker's Cat, Case of Sulky Girl, Case of Shop-lifter's Shoe, Case of Counterfeit Eye, D. A. Calls it Murder, D. A. Holds a Candle, Tobacco Road, The Family, Hermit of Far End, Mortal Storm.

Two Boys Volunteer For Army Service

Two additional Lynn county youths have volunteered for training under the Selective Service Act since our last report, according to the secretary of the county board.

The first of these, James Franklin Sanders, was not a registrant, being only 20 years of age. He is the son of Mrs. T. I. Hammonds.

The other, John B. McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMillan of O'Donnell, bears county order number 31.

These will be included in the January call.

District AAA Meeting Here

A district AAA meeting was held at the local AAA building Tuesday, December 17, the purpose of which was to discuss Organization and Office Procedure, and the checking of Wheat and General compliance in the 1941 farm program.

The meeting was presided over by Charles B. Beard, District Field Officer for this district. In the morning session W. W. Wallace and F. V. Swain from the state office at college Station discussed office organization and making out payrolls. The afternoon session was devoted entirely to a discussion of checking compliance in 1941 by C. H. Moseley, State Performance Supervisor, College Station.

Representatives from the following counties were present: Kent, Garza, Terry, Yoakum, Hockley, Lubbock, and Lynn. The administrative officer, payroll clerk, and one county committeeman from each county was present.

Lamesa Wins Cage Contest

Lamesa boys and Tahoka girls were champions of the invitation basketball tournament held here last week end, sixteen teams participating.

Tahoka boys lost the final contest Saturday night, when Lamesa edged out the Bulldogs 17 to 14. Previously Tahoka girls barely nosed out a fine Wilson team 16 to 14.

Grassland girls received the consolation trophy in the girls bracket, and Cooper of Lubbock county, the trophy in the girls bracket.

Boys teams participating in the tournament were: Lamesa, Wilson, Cooper, New Home, Draw, O'Donnell, and New Lynn.

Girls teams participating were: O'Donnell, Wilson, Tahoka, Grassland, New Lynn, Newmoore, Wells, New Home, and Draw.

Former Pastor Died Last Week

Many friends here were grieved to learn of the death of Rev. D. B. Doak, which occurred at Elk City, Oklahoma on Wednesday of last week. Death resulted from an attack of pneumonia.



WALTER WOODWARD

Walter Woodward Dies At Coleman

Walter Woodward of Coleman, 68, chairman of the State Board of Insurance Commissioners, former state senator, former assistant attorney-general, and prominent in Texas politics for many years, died of a throat affection and heart trouble in a hospital in Coleman Tuesday morning.

Funeral services were held Wednesday (Continued on Back Page)

Senior Class Play Given Wednesday

Members of the Senior Class of the Tahoka High School presented the class play, "Keep Dreaming", a three-act comedy, in the high school auditorium Wednesday night in the presence of a large and appreciative audience.

The student actors performed in a most creditable manner and received many plaudits from the audience.

The play was directed by Misses Willie Pearl Dockray and Ineva Headrick, class sponsors.

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BAND SWEETHEART IS PRESENTED



Myrna Dean Gaignat (above), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Gaignat, was presented as band sweetheart by Drum Major Pershing Alexander at the first formal concert this year of the Tahoka High School Band in the school auditorium Tuesday night. She was dressed in blue and white costume and white boots, in keeping with the band uniforms.

Name County AAA Committees

In meetings held last Friday, AAA community committees were elected as follows, according to C. A. Lawrence, secretary.

District 1: Connie L. Mason of Gordon, Joe P. White of Wilson, and Melvin M. Bruster of Morgan.

District 2: Arthur H. Hood of Garnolia, Rush Dudgeon of Edith, Vernon C. Willhott of Tahoka (later elected to the county committee), Allen L. Shepherd of Grassland, alternate.

District 3: Robert L. Littlepage of Midway, Walter W. Caswell of Draw, Robert R. Reagan of Joe Bailey.

District 4: Perry O. Cabbiness of O'Donnell, Neal S. Parker of Newmoore, and Lamar McLaurin of Wells.

District 5: Fritz Speckman of Lakeview, Hynek A. Macha of Dixie and Herbert R. Tankersley of West Point.

In a general meeting of the committeemen here Tuesday afternoon, the county committee for 1941 was elected as follows: Fred M. McGinty, chairman; Vernon C. Willhott, vice chairman; John C. Key, member; Alternates: Robert Adams, first; Fritz Speckman, second.

276 Questionnaires Mailed Registrants

For the information of some who may have been misled, the list of registrants appearing in this paper each week is not the list of those to whom questionnaires have been sent. The names of Lynn county registrants are being printed in the order of the order numbers given by the county board. Questionnaires have been sent to these registrants only up to order No. 276 and to those who have volunteered.

Mrs. W. D. Nevels and daughter, Ruth, left Wednesday to spend the holidays with relatives at Lampasas.

Greeting Edition Out On Tuesday

Watch your mail next Tuesday morning for the annual Christmas Greeting Edition of The Lynn County News. The paper will be filled with Christmas features and greetings from Tahoka business men.

The News hopes to make this one of the best greeting editions it has yet published.

Correspondents and advertisers are urged to have their copy in Monday morning, at the very latest.

There will be no paper on Friday of next week, publication day being moved up three days in order that greetings will be timely for Christmas day.

School Bands Present Concert

Tahoka High School band and the Junior band directed by John Hamblen appeared for the first time this year Tuesday night at the school auditorium in a formal concert.

Playing for the first time in public and in new uniforms, the fifteen members of the Junior band were quite a hit. They played "Lone, Long Ago", "Home, Sweet Home", and "America".

Appearing in a blue and white satin costume styled after the band uniforms, Myrna Dean Gaignat, recently selected by students and town people at the school carnival, was presented by Pershing Alexander, drum major.

Two vocal solos by Frances Tunnell and performances with the bells by La Voyle Richardson were also featured numbers on the concert.

The concert numbers included marches, semi-classical numbers, and the 1940-41 contest number "Horizon" overture.

The 44-piece High School band expects to present two other concerts during the year. The Junior band also expects to appear again in the coming months.

Following the concert, Mr. and Mrs. Hamblen entertained both bands with a Christmas party at their home.

Methodists Will Present Pageant

A Christmas pageant, "Good Will Toward Men," will be presented at the Methodist Church Sunday night, at 7:30 o'clock by about fifty young people and children, assisted by a few adults of the church. Mrs. Stella Duke is directing the pageant and Mrs. Era Stewart is accompanist.

The pageant promises to be a very interesting and inspirational program. Scriptures and old familiar carols are used in dramatizing the story of the Saviour's birth.

Preceding the pageant, there will be a candle-lighting service. The church will be decorated appropriate to the occasion.

All people of the town and county are invited to attend the service.

ERNESTINE STORY IS NAMED IN WHO'S WHO

Lubbock, Dec. 19—Ernestine Story, senior home economics student at Texas Technological College, was recently chosen to be listed in Who's Who among students in American Colleges and Universities.

Students were chosen for their outstanding scholastic records and leadership.

Ernestine is a member of the Women's Student Governing Association, AWS, Forum and Phi U. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Story of Tahoka.

Mrs. Ina Faye Minor has returned home from a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Pierce of Lubbock.

Everything Free For Children

All people of Lynn county, especially the kiddies, are invited to a big free Christmas celebration in Tahoka Saturday. Included in the program, beginning at 9:45 a. m., is a band concert, appearance of Santa Claus, free picture show for children, singing of Christmas carols by the children. The event is being sponsored by Tahoka Rotary Club.

At 9:45, Tahoka High School's 44-piece band will parade through the down-town streets and play a short concert in front of the English Theatre. Jolly old Santa Claus will also be present for the amusement of all kids from one to eighty years of age.

Beginning at 10 a. m., there will be a free show for children at the English Theatre and if this show is overflowed, the Ada Theatre will be used also. A full length feature picture, "Triple Justice," with Geo. O'Brien and Virginia Dale, and a comedy "Andy Panda Goes Fishing" will be shown. The audience will be led in the singing of Christmas carols by Band Director John Hamblen, with Mrs. J. K. Applewhite accompanying at the piano.

Children are asked but not required to bring surplus toys to the show for distribution Christmas eve among the less fortunate children. Adults accompanying small children may attend the show on payment of a 10 cent admission fee.

In charge of the event from the Rotary Club are: Calloway Huffaker, Dr. Emil Prohl, and Truett Smith, of the show committee; and W. T. Hanes, Houston Spikes, and Prentice Walker, finance committee.

Hockley's Cotton Crop Leads Plains

Although Lynn county's cotton crop falls far below that of last year, the South Plains had ginned more cotton prior to December 1 this year than it had ginned up to the same date last year.

Nineteen South Plains counties together with adjacent counties just below the caprock had ginned 350,000 bales prior to December 1, this year, as compared with 345,839 bales ginned prior to December 1, 1939, according to report of the Census Bureau of the Department of Commerce recently made public.

Lynn county however had ginned only 31,149 bales as compared with 56,135 ginned prior to December 1 last year.

Lynn county stands fourth among the counties of the South Plains this year, usually standing second with Lubbock first. Hockley and Lamb counties each surpass both Lynn and Lubbock this year.

The standings of the nineteen counties mentioned is as follows:

Hockley	47,760	27,994
Lamb	45,817	38,388
Lubbock	42,251	57,012
LYNN	31,149	56,135
Dawson	29,125	28,820
Terry	26,010	17,842
Bailey	22,003	10,627
Scurry	19,114	17,251
Crosby	18,436	21,703
Hale	16,727	20,252
Cochran	14,056	2,954
Dickens	10,320	10,162
Floyd	10,088	9,086
Motley	9,146	6,100
Garza	4,146	10,024
Briscoe	3,977	2,785
Farmer	3,837	5,092
Gaines	2,329	952
Castro	1,825	2,659

Some of the above counties lie so far north as to be practically out of the cotton belt, some of them lie below the caprock where most of the land is devoted to ranching, and some of them lie among the sand dunes along the New Mexico line. This accounts for their meager cotton production.

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Draft Registrants

The first number preceding each name given below is the order number given the registrant by the county board. The second number is the serial or registration number.

- 477-4901 Albert Curtis McKinney, Milson, Route 1.
- 478-1467 Lonnie Turner, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 479-274 J. C. Todd, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 480-1378 Allen Thomas Jolly, Tahoka, Route 2.
- 481-1634 James Cisco Brush, Wilson, Route 2.
- 482-64 Bonnie Clifton Brown, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 483-1433 Elmer Richey, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 484-307 Kelly Glynn Hill, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 485-56 Clarence Lloyd Murray, Wilson, Route 1.
- 486-173 Olvis Agnew, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 487-994 George Cravy Dulin, Wilson, Route 1.
- 488-640 Everett Vestel Robertson, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 489-178 Clarence Gilmor Eades, Wilson, Route 1.
- 490-1248 Victor Bernard Buxkemper, Slaton, Route 2.
- 491-1608 Lonnie Eldridge Bigham, Jr., Tahoka, Route 1.
- 492-1337 Carlos Hartezo Ramas, Post Route 2.
- 493-340 Adolph Schneider, Slaton, Route 1.
- 494-1392 Charlie Curtis, Wilson, Route 2.
- 495-342 Odis Hugh Best, Wilson, Route 1.
- 496-1535 Grover Clarence McPherson, O'Donnell, Route 3.

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- 497-353 George Newell Hughes, O'Donnell, Box 953.
- 498-448 Norman Ollie Warren, Tahoka, Box 671.
- 499-1549 Edward Lois Bosch, Slaton, Route 2.
- 500-1161 C. Lawrence Bolch, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 501-875 Bertram Leon Hatchel, Wilson, Route 1.
- 502-635 Elmer Steve Gindorf, Wilson, Route 2.
- 503-828 James Calvin Russell, O'Donnell, Route 2.
- 504-869 O. C. West, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 505-834 Orby Alvin Wilkes, Tahoka, Box 282.
- 506-780 Leelon Ebra Flovers, O'Donnell, Route 1.
- 507-1663 Woodrow Wilson Ward, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 508-818 E. R. Blackney Jr., Wilson, Route 1.
- 509-386 Tracy Ivy Jackson, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 510-323 Hope Elba Haynes, Tahoka, Box 912.
- 511-1403 Early Lee Lawson, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 512-1218 Lewis Weemes Henderson, Meadow, Route 1.
- 513-1512 Walter Louis Carroll, Tahoka, Route 2.
- 514-1480 Garland Clyde Shepherd, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 515-1465 James Elbert Green, Slaton, Route 2.
- 516-1666 Robert Lee Gartman, O'Donnell, Route 1.
- 517-644 Leslie Curtis Crews, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 518-680 Leander Cecil Roberson, Wilson, Route 1.
- 519-18 W. F. Bartley, Tahoka, Route 5.
- 520-117 Clarence E. Anderson, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 521-303 Allon Vincent McCowen, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 522-1118 Roy Carlton, Tahoka, Box 624.
- 523-959 Cullen F. Thomas Galven, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 524-398 James Kenneth Applewhite Jr., O'Donnell, Route 1.
- 525-1615 Jim Lee Reed, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 526-44 John Wesley Inman, Tahoka, Box 712.
- 527-1561 Jerry Man Cannon, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 528-664 Byron Bryce West, Tahoka, Box 305.
- 529-553 Joe Ferrell Leake, Wilson, Route 2.
- 530-26 Harold Thomas Gibson, O'Donnell, Box 963.

- 531-1670 Burette Howard Gamble, O'Donnell, Route 2.
- 532-1482 Burns Ellis, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 533-501 Eugene LeFayette Long, Tahoka, Box 1044.
- 534-80 Youin Thomas Nolin, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 535-1173 William Vernon Kelly, Tahoka, Box 1033.
- 536-1435 Willard Thomas Kidwell, Tahoka, Box 507.
- 537-1161 John William Fenton, Tahoka, Box 934.
- 538-812 Paul Raymond Johnson, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 539-288 Vernon Randolph Hampton, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 540-381 Charley Richard Thurman, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 541-592 Marion Talmage Parr, Tahoka, Box 418.
- 542-1360 Edgar August Herman Nieman, Wilson, Route 1.
- 543-633 Lewis Overton Marcy, Meadow, Route 1.
- 544-1298 Nowelle Edward Denton, Post, Route 2.
- 545-199 Pilar Martinez, Wilson, Route 1.
- 546-367 Olen Oren Dickerson, Slaton, Route 2.
- 547-1279 John Victor Schneider, Wilson, Route 1.
- 548-1622 Sixto Gonzales, Southland, Route 1.
- 549-371 Burnett T. Smith, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 550-1220 Macario Paz, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 551-1426 Roberto Torrez, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 552-1088 Carl Dean Gryder, Wilson, Route 1.
- 553-870 James Milton Uzzle, Tahoka, Route 2.
- 554-1323 Roy Callan Hoover, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 555-269 Torbett Ferguson West, O'Donnell, Route 1.
- 556-966 Frank Oscar Greathouse, Tahoka, Box 773.
- 557-1243 Loyd Otis Roberts, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 558-1212 Clovis Monroe Eaton, Tahoka, Route 2.
- 559-490 Cecil Floyd Kennedy, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 560-1316 Willie Moore, Wilson, Route 1.
- 561-830 Richard Bush Franklin, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 562-608 Woodrow Caton, Meadow, Route 1.
- 563-839 Robert Clifford Carroll Jr., O'Donnell, Box 963.

- 564-385 Brooks W. Taylor, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 565-373 Otis Louis Burnette, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 567-234 R. M. Prather, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 568-140 Dalmon Leon Newman, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 569-485 Charlie Frank Wells, O'Donnell, Box 661.
- 570-54 Santiago G. Rioz, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 571-332 Earl Leo Cooley, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 572-1446 James Franklin, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 573-258 J. D. Tucker, O'Donnell, Box 465.
- 574-304 John Marvin Ratliff, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 575-1483 Leidon Lewis Warren, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 576-508 Bennie Golden Platt, O'Donnell, Route 2.
- 577-1240 Calvin Cornelius Stephens, Tahoka, Box 637.
- 578-1254 Harry Hubert Hewett, Wilson, Route 2.
- 579-852 Jackson Leigh Hoskins, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 580-1051 Woodrow Wilson Stewart, Post, Route 3.
- 581-1628 Joe Herman Lawley, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 582-1132 Herman Wesley Crawford, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 583-1859 James F. Collings, Wilson, Route 2.
- 584-132 Andrew Jordan Wyatt, Tahoka, Box 884.
- 585-1510 Floyd Henry Lightner, Wilson, Route 2.
- 586-297 Marvin David Seely, O'Donnell, Box 551.
- 587-1326 Willie Edwin Stone, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 588-1264 Fred Virgie Pierce, Lubbock, Route 6.
- 589-1673 Rufus Loyd Nowell, O'Donnell, Box 864.

- 590-898 Roy Hoyle, Post, Rt. 3.
- 594-385 Brooks W. Taylor, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 595-373 Otis Louis Burnette, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 596-322 Virgil Pearson Carter, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 593-1530 Troy LeVirt Warren, Tahoka, Route 1.
- 594-987 Oran Edwards Hickerson, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 595-1438 Rufus Frank Reed, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 596-1222 Hubert Whatley, Meadow, Route 1.
- 597-15 Guy Mathias Willhoit, Tahoka, Route 4.
- 598-874 Rufus Jackson Slover, Tahoka, Route 3.
- 599-312 Eutiquos Traviao, O'Donnell, Route 3.
- 600-247 Jesus Lopez Castillo, O'Donnell, Route 3.

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Tahoka has the Christmas spirit—witness the gala decorations and the shoppers as they slipped and slid to and fro last Saturday... the fact that anyone would brave such weather to shop proves something or other... store decorations are more attractive than ever this year. And Jack Frost took his brush and finished it all off in sheer beauty Saturday night with hanging icicles and frosty panes.

No artist could ever compare with Mother Nature and her staff. Each season, when displays of the beauties of nature are seen, we say, "surely this is the most beautiful season". The color of new greens and dark brown tree trunks in the spring, the beauty of our sandstorms, lightning piercing through clouds of purple and brown, bright lights through fog, flowers blooming on clear, hot days, a still pool of water under the shade of drooping trees dressed up in summer greenery, the bright colors of fall, evergreens in the snow—all of these things are of equal beauty, yet each seems loveliest in season.

The Milliken girls (and boy) picked up some berries while cedar-hunting Sunday afternoon that they cannot identify. Growing on bushes resembling shinnery, three transparent red berries grow on the end of a stem which grows through a leaf. The berries are very pretty—they would like to know what they are.

There'll be a wedding Saturday night, it's said. A filling station attendant and his girl friend, whose initials are M. A., have decided to can live as cheap as one.

MRS. COLLENBACK MOVES TO TARRANT COUNTY

After many years residence in Tahoka, Mrs. J. H. Collenback left Monday afternoon to make her home on an 80-acre farm situated ten miles south of Fort Worth and four miles north of Mansfield in Tarrant county, which she recently purchased.

Associated with her in the operation of the farm will be her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Anderson, who are moving from Independence, Louisiana. The farm consists mainly of a big pecan and fruit orchard and a chicken ranch. Mrs. Anderson is the former Miss Dovie Collenback.

Mrs. Collenback's other daughter, Mrs. Carol (Rita Lois) Grissom, and little son accompanied her to the Tarrant county farm, where Mr. Grissom will join them later for the Christmas holidays, following which they will return to their home near Lamesa.

Mrs. Collenback a few days before leaving here fell and sustained painful injuries to one knee and one hand and was still walking on crutches when she left but it was believed that she would soon recover.

Before leaving she was given a shower by her friends, receiving many lovely and much-appreciated gifts.

Mrs. Collenback says that her new home is situated near the highway. It may be easily found by Tahoka friends visiting that section of the state or points in East Texas.

ABERNATHY COUPLE WED IN JUDGE'S OFFICE

J. D. Upchurch and Miss Susie Mae Duggan of Abernathy were married here Monday afternoon in the office of Judge P. W. Goad, the Judge officiating in his usually dignified manner.

On being asked why the couple came right through Lubbock and on to Tahoka to get their marriage license and the knot tied, the Judge explained that they wanted a good job done.

Here's hoping that they always feel that a good job was done.

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Miss Oleta Moore Marries Sunday

Friends here have received announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Oleta Moore and Warren D. Smith, both of O'Donnell, which is to take place at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, December 22, in the First Methodist Church in O'Donnell.

Miss Moore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moore, pioneer residents of Lynn county, and is teacher of Home Economics in the O'Donnell High School.

Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hafford Smith of O'Donnell and is a highly respected young man of that city.

A reception will be given the young couple in the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony.

GARNOLIA COUPLE SHOWERED

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Blasingame, newly-weds, were honored with a shower in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young in the Garnolia community on Wednesday night of last week.

Many friends gathered in the Young home, bringing numerous and valuable gifts for the young couple, and the company were entertained with beautiful music.

Principal and Mrs. V. D. Armstrong and children and Miss Quannah Lewis, of Andrews, formerly teachers in the Tahoka schools, were here last weekend visiting friends.

A. L. Solsbery received a message Monday afternoon that his mother had died at noon on that day at her home in Ballinger. He and his wife were both sick themselves and not able to attend the funeral services.

Christmas Party Held For BPW Club

Misses Claire Ruth Nichols and Beverly Wells of O'Donnell were hostesses in the home of the former to the Tahoka Business and Professional Women's club at their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening.

A program, "Christmas in Foreign Lands", was presented, with Mesdames Pauline Campbell of O'Donnell, Lois Daniel, J. W. Sinclair, Myrtle Rochelle, Gladys M. Stokes, and Misses Wells and Nichols taking part. The types of Christmas celebrations in eight other lands were described.

Art contests, guessing games and a campaign for the election of a "Santa Claus" were features of entertainment. "Santa Claus" distributed gifts from club sisters, whose names were revealed.

Refreshments were canapes, hors-d'oeuvres, fruit cake and cranberry punch.

Miss Florence Gary of O'Donnell led the group in singing Christmas carols.

PERSIMMONS STILL GROW IN SELBY COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. Lovic Shepherd returned recently from a visit with relatives in Shelby county.

They formerly resided there and of course they enjoyed the visit back to their old Piney Woods home.

Mr. Shepherd was in the News office a few days ago and presented the editor with one of the fine persimmons which he brought back with him, brownish red and mushy ripe, and Boy, it was luscious!

Mr. Shepherd said he got that persimmon from a tree from which he had gathered persimmons 28 years ago. It stands in the yard of Mrs. Shephard's grandfather and is 40

years old. That's a real persimmon country.

We forgot to ask Mr. Shepherd, but we are sure the possums are fat, and that the Shelbyites will make it through the winter all right.

L. R. Mason of Close City, Garza county, who was here Tuesday attending a farmers' meeting and who has been reading The Lynn County News for a number of years, dropped into the office while here to renew

his subscription, and he remarked while here that he had less seed and more good feed-gathering weather over his way this fall than he had had for a long time. Same over his brother.

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Blind Leaders of the Blind

A few folks in this country are still having conniption fits about our government giving aid to Great Britain. Britain may lose, they argue, and then the airplanes and the destroyers which we furnish the British will fall into the hands of the Nazis. Just look what happened to the British in France and Belgium, they say. The British undertook to help France, and then France collapsed and the British were barely able to escape with their lives, leaving all their heavy guns and war equipment for the Germans to capture.

But the trouble with both Great Britain and France was that they were unprepared for the terrific German onslaught. They had underestimated the power of the mighty German machine. France felt safe behind the "impregnable" Maginot line. England felt safe back across the English channel. She even felt that the force of men which she threw across the channel, augmenting the strength of the French and Belgian armies, would be sufficient to repel the German invaders.

Furthermore, they learned too late that Hitler's promises and assurances meant nothing. They failed to realize the danger; they failed to prepare; and in France, it has since transpired, there were too many "fifth columnists" among the leaders.

And the trouble with our own country today is that there are too many people in this country who are saying that the Atlantic is a sufficient barrier against Hitler and the Nazis, that we are safe whatever happens to Great Britain; and, as in France, there are too many Hitler sympathizers among us, too many who say that the European War is only a case of "dog eat dog", and

that therefore we should not get messed up in it. "Blind leaders of the blind", these fellows. And yet, they talk and write as if it were the rest of the country who are the boobs and the suckers, the foolish victims of British propagandists. How foolish.

A Perfectly Good Alibi

The Slaton Slatonite: "Why is it," asked a friend of mine, "that every time you go into a newspaper office and ask for something everyone in the place goes to digging and scratching around like a dog hunting a bone?"

The answer is that such a mass of things have to be on hand that none of them can be kept in order. Advertising comes in written on wrapping paper, news stories on the back of envelopes and job work on odds and ends of scrap paper. Printers always go around smudging ink on everything, the telephone book is always in use or not hung in the right place, every one who comes in wants to look at a back issue of the paper and a building as large as the Capitol at Washington is not large enough to hold the back numbers of papers that should be kept. Every time something is thrown away it is needed the next day and the public expects a newspaper man to know where the fire was, who won the football game and how much rain fell and why he did not get his paper.

That's what makes all newspaper men queer. They need their pockets full of little slips of paper, pencils in every pocket that they never can find and scissors in every desk drawer. The scissors disappear and never show up again.

Boyce House, noted newspaper feature writer, who furnishes a column free each week to such newspapers as care to use it, is now putting out some shrewdly-prepared propaganda for legalizing horse-race gambling in this state. Mr. House knows how to write a snappy, interesting news story but of course he doesn't write just for the fun of it. Somebody pays him, and doubtless pays him well. The horse-racing boys are getting ready to make a fight in the legislature which meets soon. This Boyce House propaganda stuff is doubtless a part of their preliminary campaign. While a race-horse is a beautiful piece of machinery and horse-racing is a thrilling sport, yet pari-mutuel gambling on the races is merely a scheme by which the operators may legally rob the suckers who bite—and the suckers are always a-plenty, for the temptation to bet on a horse race is almost irresistible on the part of many people.

But nothing is more demoralizing than legalized gambling on the races. Look out, young fellow! Look out, little lady! Racing up and down these streets through heavy traffic and darting around corners at about 30 or 40 miles per is a dangerous practice. If it should result in some-

F. S. A.

In Lynn County

By ARGEN HIX

Christmas Desserts

For holiday dinners one of the easiest courses to fix is the dessert. Some like heavy desserts even with the rich dinner we usually have. Four types of desserts are printed. These are tested recipes and are made for this altitude. Either of the four, or all will be good for the holiday season.

Cobbler

1 C. Milk 1 T. baking Powder
1 C. Flour Pinch of Salt
1 C. Sugar 1-4 lb. Butter
No. 2 can Fruit with 1 C. Sugar
Melt butter; pour in batter made of flour, milk and sugar; pour in fruit. Bake in a moderate oven for 20 to 25 minutes.

Peanut Butter Cookies

1 C. white Sugar 1 C. Shortening
1 C. brown Sugar 1 t. cream of tartar
1 C. peanut butter 1 t. baking powder
1 t. Vanilla 3 C. Flour
2 eggs well-beaten Salt

Mix the ingredients well together; break off small dabs and mash down with a fork. Add pecans or almonds if desired. Bake in hot oven for 5 to 10 minutes.

Chess Pie

1 C. Milk 2 egg yolks or 1 whole egg
1 T. corn starch 1 t. vanilla
1-4 C. Sugar 1 t. Salt

Chocolate Fudge Frosting
Scald the milk. Mix corn-starch sugar and salt and add hot milk, slowly. Cook 20 minutes over boiling water. Beat the eggs and add slowly stirring rapidly. Cool and add vanilla. Fill the pastry with this mixture. Cover each with layer of chocolate frosting.

Chocolate Frosting

1sq. chocolate 1 Egg White
3 T. Granulated Sugar
3 T. Powdered Sugar

1 T. Water 1-2 t. Vanilla
Cook the chocolate, granulated sugar and water together, stirring until smooth and glossy. Beat the white of the egg enough to thin it, but not to make it frothy; add the powdered sugar, stir until smooth and light, then add the chocolate mixture and vanilla. Cool before spreading on pies.

White Butter Cake

3-4 C. Butter 1 C. Milk
1 1-2 C. Sugar 1 T. Lemon extract
3 C. Cake Flour 4 Egg Whites
(or 2 3-4 Bread Flour)
3 t. or 4 t. Baking Powder
1-4 T. Salt

Cream the butter; add the sugar and heat well. Sift the flour, baking powder and salt and add alternately with the milk and extract. Beat the egg whites until stiff and fold into the cake. Bake in 2 layers in a moderate oven (365 degrees F.) for 25 to 30 minutes.

Boiled Icing

2 1-2 C. Sugar 1-2 C. Water
1-2 C. Corn Syrup
2 Egg Whites—Stiff but not Dry
Cook together; stir until mixture boils; put lid on and let boil 5 minutes to let crystals steam down. Let cook gently until firm ball forms in cold water. Pour over egg whites. When it begins to lose its gloss spread on cake.

Evangelist Frank Traylor of Alpine was a visitor in Tahoka over the weekend. Sunday he preached at the local Church of Christ, going to Levelland for the night services.

body getting killed or seriously injured sometime, somebody might be prosecuted for negligent homicide or other form of criminal negligence. Better use a little common sense in your driving.

Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a pretty good boy. I will try to do better. Please bring me a Red Rider airgun and a football suit, and don't forget the nuts, candy, and fruits.—Billy Bert Stevens.

Dear Santa: I am to be in Canyon this year year with my grandparents, and don't forget to leave my little car, tricycle, and football there. I have tried to be a good boy, and of course I have helped my daddy. Hoping to see you soon.—Jerry Dean Cain.

Dear Santa Claus: I certainly have been a nice little girl. I want you to bring me a doll with blonde hair just like mine, a pair of brown gloves, a little piano, and a swing that folds up, some fruits, candies, and nuts. I'll be looking for you.—Jo Ann Jaynes.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me an electric train, a doll, a doll suitcase, and a set of dishes. Please remember all other little girls and boys. With lots of love.—Mary Louise Fenton.

Dear Santa: We are two little girls who have been very good and would like for you to come to see us. We would like a doctor-and-nurse set, a French harp, and a Bible.—Your little friends, Dottie June and Shirley Faye Floyd.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy six years old. I want a motor boat and a bear for Christmas. Bring me some fruit, nuts, and candy. I want a checker board too. Remember my brother and mother and daddy.—Your friend, Don Everett Caraway.

Dear Santa: My jolly old friend, don't pass me up when you come around December 24. I want a doll and buggy, a manicure set, some fruit, candy and nuts. I've been just

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pretty good. Please don't forget my mother and daddy and my grandparents.—Your little friend, Barbara Gayle McNeely.

P. S. Please don't forget the fireworks.

Dear Santa: I have been a real sweet little boy. Please bring me a tricycle, little train, and a tractor that climbs, some candy, fruit, and

nuts. Don't forget the other little boys and girls. Thanks a lot.—Royce Gene Duckett.

Dear Santa: I'm a little boy, and I will be three years old Christmas day. Please bring me a little car that I can ride in. Bring all the little boys and girls something too. With love.—Jimmy Brown.

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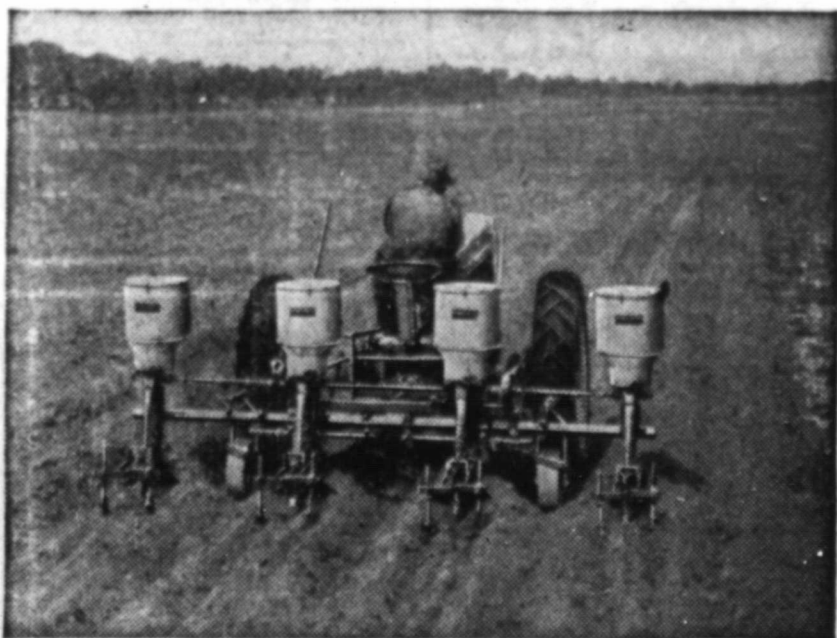
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Elliotts Attend Dinner Honoring Sam Rayburn And Meeting Of Electors

Judge and Mrs. J. W. Elliott returned Tuesday from Austin, where Mrs. Elliott, who is a Democratic National Elector for Texas, attended a meeting of electors to cast their votes for President and Vice President; and from Dallas, where they were special guests, Mrs. Elliott as a National Committeeman and also as Elector, at the banquet honoring Hon. Sam Rayburn, speaker of the House of Representatives in Congress.

The banquet, which was held in the Adolphus Hotel Tuesday, Dec. 10, was attended by more than 1,500 people, many of them among the Nation's Democrats, including senators and representatives from several states. This was said to have been the biggest banquet ever held in Dallas honoring one man. Both Judge and Mrs. Elliott had been furnished complimentary tickets for the meeting.

Among the speakers at the banquet were Senators Morris Shepard and Tom Connolly and Representative Lydon Johnson of Texas.

Mrs. Elliott, though a great admirer of Sam Rayburn, was a bit surprised at the high regard in which the Speaker of the House is held by leading Democrats. She says that, though not expressed in so many words, several speakers, some from outside the state, boosted Sam Rayburn as the logical man for President in 1944. She was also impressed with the dignity and bigness with which Mr. Rayburn responded to the occasion.

She thought outstanding a statement made by an Oklahoma senator, Senator Thomas, that "Texas runs the Congress of the United States", Senator Thomas went on to say that the great Lone Star State furnishes the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, many other high government officials and committee chairmanships, and "the outstanding orator of the United States, Tom Connolly."

During the afternoon of the Tuesday in Dallas Mrs. Elliott, along with other Democratic Executive Committeemen, was entertained by Chairman E. B. Germany in his offices in the Continental building.

During the interim between the Dallas and Austin meetings, Judge and Mrs. Elliott visited Judge Elliott's sister in Kemp and in San Antonio.

Monday noon, the Democratic Electors were entertained with a luncheon at the Spanish Village in Austin by the Austin Chamber of Commerce.

During the afternoon, they met in the Senate Chamber, where C. V. Collins of Livingston was elected chairman, a Mr. Richardson, secretary, and the 23 Texas electors, six of whom were women, proceeded to cast their vote which officially, along with those from the other states, elected Franklin D. Roosevelt to the presidency and Henry A. Wallace to the vice presidency.

All 23 Texas votes were cast for the two. This was the first time in the history of U. S. elections electors had ever voted for a man for a third term.

Of special interest is the fact that the Texas electors unanimously voted for a resolution proposing the abolishment of the electoral college method of electing the president and

vice president and substituting the popular vote method.

Mayor Maurey Maverick of San Antonio, an elector, in a short speech, declared that he had known Henry A. Wallace six or seven years, that he had just returned from a trip with him to the Mexican presidential inauguration, and that he knew Henry Wallace had sealed the close relationship between Mexico and the United States. He says Wallace speaks Spanish fluently, and that Pres. Roosevelt made a wise selection when he sent him as the representative of our government to the Mexican inauguration, as he made a decided hit in that country.

Mrs. Elliott, along with other Texas electors, has been given an invitation to attend the inauguration of President Roosevelt in Washington, to be a guest at the Mayflower Hotel, and to occupy a seat of honor in the inauguration parade. She may accept it.

ROTARY CLUB ENJOYS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Students of the seventh grade in the public school presented a pageant at the Rotary Club luncheon Thursday depicting the birth of the Christ child as the story is recorded in the books of Matthew and Luke in the Bible.

About thirty pupils were in the cast, and it was the unanimous verdict of the Rotarians that the presentation was exceedingly well done. The almost perfect manner in which the pupils acquitted themselves evidenced careful and efficient work on the part of the director.

The Club also gave a vote of thanks to Lee Dodson, who has been directing the programs for the past three months, and Arthur Raborn who had charge of the preceding three months.

The luncheon for next Thursday was dispensed with.

YOUNG MARRIED COUPLE VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans Jr. of Centralia, Illinois, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans, and other relatives here last week-end, returning early this week.

The young couple were married at St. Charles, Missouri, on Wednesday, December 11. The bride's maiden name was Virginia Goodman.

Mr. Evans holds a position with the Cascade Refining Co. at Salem, Illinois, while Mrs. Evans has a position with a telephone company at Centralia.

Mr. Evans is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Evans Sr., who reside near Tahoka.

4-H CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY FRIDAY

The annual 4-H club Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. Ellis on Friday, December 13.

A Christmas tree, autumn leaves, and bells were house decorations.

Mrs. R. E. Townzen, one of the members, who is moving to Brownfield, was honored with an array of useful gifts.

After a short business meeting and the exchange of gifts, refreshments of hot chocolate and prune whip topped with whipped cream were served to eight members. Visitors were Mrs. Tredway and Mrs. Billy Slaughter.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Barney Akin on January 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lamb, according to Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Singleton, have been transferred from Tyler to Abilene, moving Wednesday. Mrs. Lamb is the former Miss Oabelle Singleton. She is employed by the State Employment Service and Mr. Lamb is a salesman for Montgomery-Ward.

Miss Maurine McNatt left Sunday for Greenville for the holidays. She plans to return December 29th.

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Fifth Grade
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Sixth Grade
Jeannine Smith, Jerine Bartley, Irwin Lehman, J. Fred Bucy, Evelyn Ruth Story, Helen Davis, Geraldine Frazier, teacher, A. L. Pace.

NEW HOME TEAMS WIN FROM DRAW

New Home's high school basketballers captured a double decision from Draw here Tuesday night, the boys winning 36 to 2 and the girls winning 38 to 10.

Jack Spence led Coach J. W. Parlin's Leopards to victory in the boys game, scoring 188 points. Draw is defending Lynn county champion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warrick returned to Harlingen in the Lower Rio Grande Valley this week to spend a month or two. They had gone down there several weeks ago but were called home early this month by the serious illness of their granddaughter, Connie Mae Gribble, who underwent appendectomy in a Lubbock hospital. The little girl is now back home and is improving nicely.

William Zappe of Shiner was here Wednesday. He is visiting relatives and friends at Wilson. Mr. Zappe resided at Wilson for a number of years and in Tahoka for a short time. While here he was engaged in the real estate business and is the man who sold many tracts of land out of the T-Bar ranch to farmers in 1924. He still likes Lynn county.

Newt Barham and H. M. Snowden are leaving this morning to spend the holidays with relatives in Mississippi. Mr. Barham will visit chiefly at Philadelphia, Mississippi, and Mr. Snowden at Union and Meridian.

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Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus: We are a little brother and sister from Petty. Daddy thinks we are very good. I, Dennis Lynn, want a stencil set and a pair of overshoes. I, Patsy Sue, want a doll bed, an electric iron, and a pair of house shoes that squeaks. And of course we want fruit, candy, and firecrackers. Be good to Mother and Daddy and all the other little girls and boys. Love to Santa.—Dennis Lynn and Patsy Sue Crews.

Dear Santa Claus: We are two little girls that are real good friends. We have been real good and want you to bring us a stencil set, a doll and pretty clothes for it; some story books to read, too. Please be good to our little brothers and sisters. Send us lots of firecrackers, fruits and nuts. Loveto Santa.—Wilma Doris Crews and Gertrude Bullman.

Dear Santa Claus: We are twin girls. We have been good little girls. Our age is one year; we will be two years old the 29th of December; and we would like a doll apiece, a big red ball apiece, some candies, nuts, and fruits. Don't forget my auntie Gwendolme, my sisters Barbara Fay and Jodean. With love.—Ruby Fay and Wonda Joy Jones.

Dear Santa Claus: Would you please bring me a pair of cowboy boots, a gun and scabbard, and a little red truck. Please go by Dallas and give my little sister Tommy Sue, who is in the hospital there, a big baby doll, and a big red ball. I thank you for our gifts last Christmas.—Your little friend, Harold Gene Short.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me some house shoes, a B. B. gun, a French harp, and a pair of boxing gloves. Love from your friend.—Ethelene Bucy.

P. S. I have tried to be a good girl.

"If we can afford several hundred dollars a year to educate a child, we can afford 10 dollars a year to keep that child physically fit for study, Milo Perkins, administrator, Surplus Marketing Administration, said recently in a talk on the school lunch program.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl seven years old. I go to school at Grassland. I am in the second grade. I try to be good. Please bring me a music box, a pretty dress, a purse, a doll with clothes and bottle, and remember all the little boys and girls. Say, Santa, I will be in Birmingham, Alabama, 609, 84th place. I hope I will see you there. Love.—Joann Thomas.

Mrs. A. A. Lawson was able to be brought to the home of her daughter Mrs. G. C. Watson, Sunday, after being confined in a Lubbock clinic for a week taking treatments.

METHODIST WOMEN HAVE BUSINESS MEETING

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in a regular business session last Monday afternoon. Ten were present.

Three boxes were packed with food and delivered to the sick.—Reporter.

Sam the cynic says, "A man should work eight hours and sleep eight hours—but not the same eight hours."

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EUZELIAN CLASS TO SERVE DINNER

When the Euzelian Class met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Harris Monday evening they voted to have two of the Rotary Luncheons in January in order to complete their \$100.00 pledge to the building fund; promised to visit sick members of other classes; and started filling a basket of toys for needy children. The basket was placed in the office of Mrs. R. C. Forrester in the Deen Nowlin building. If any member, associate member, or other person wishes she may take her gift there and be sure that it will reach some child who will appreciate it. Mrs. George A. Dale, Class President presided over this business session.

Mmes. Gladys Stokes and R. C. Forrester had charge of a social hour which included some clever and amusing stories, distribution of gifts from a beautifully decorated tree, singing of Christmas songs, and refreshments.

A special feature of the program was the singing of Christmas hymns by Ladies' quartette from the Docas Class, Mmes. L. D. Howell, Elbert Rogers, W. H. Kenley, and Deen Nowlin.

Other visitors included Mmes G. R. Milken, J. A. South, J. K. Woosley, C. T. Oliver, and Miss Frances Scott of Dallas, Rev. G. A. Dale, W.

At the Churches

CHURCH OF CHRIST

M. V. Showalter, Minister
Bible Study 9:45 a. m.
Praeching 10:45 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Praeching 7:00 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church School, 9:45
Morning Worship, 11:00
Youth Meeting, 6:15
Evening Worship, 7:00

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Church Service 11:00 A. M.
B. T. U. 6:30 P. M.
Preaching 7:30 P. M.

Monday

W. M. S. 3:00 P. M.
Sunbeam Band 3:00 P. M.
G. A. S. 4:15 P. M.

Wednesday

Prayer Service 7:30 P. M.

NAZARENE CHURCH

J. L. Lawrence, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Preaching Service 11:00 A. M.
Jr. & N. Y. P. S. 6:30 P. M.
Regular Service 7:30 P. M.
Bible Study Wednesday night.

The American Lutheran Church

Theo. F. Sager, Pastor
Services in the Presbyterian Chapel every Second and Fourth Sunday night.
Sunday evening's service begins at 7:30.

Visitors are always welcome. Come and prepare your hearts with us for the proper reception of God's Christmas Gift.

M. Harris, and E. I. Hill, teacher of the class.

Members who had been absent because of sickness of loved ones who attended this meeting were Mmes: H. L. Roddy, Alice Fortenberry, and J. M. Scott. Other members were: Miss Elizabeth Preston and Mmes. J. K. Applegate, Dale, T. B. Burroughs, P. W. Goad, E. I. Hill, G. W. Simmons, J. F. Stuart, Essie Russell, James E. Dye, V. A. Botkin, S. H. Holland, Carl Owens, Stokes, Forrester, and the hostess, Mrs. Harris.

A beautiful electric table lamp was presented the teacher, E. I. Hill and Mrs. Hill.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

The American Lutheran Church, of Tahoka, which holds its services in the Presbyterian Chapel, will celebrate the Christmas festival this year with a Children's Christmas Service. This service will be complete with readings by the Pastor, Carols by the assembly, and Christmas recitations by the Children of the Sunday School age.

A Christmas tree and Christmas goodies for the children and any visiting children, have also been provided for.

The public is cordially invited to enjoy these Christmas Services with us. These Services will be held Sunday Dec. 22, beginning at 7:00 p. m.

WALLACES VISIT HERE

Evangelist and Mrs. Foy E. Wallace, Jr., of Oklahoma City, accompanied by their daughter, Mary Jane, drove down from Colorado Springs Monday of this week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Calloway. On Tuesday they drove to Carlsbad, N. M., for a visit with their son, returning to Tahoka the same night. They left Wednesday for Tipton and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. H. L. Roddy returned Saturday night from Hico, where she had been visiting her parents several weeks. Her father recently underwent a major operation in a hospital in Waco and Mrs. Roddy visited him there until he was able to return to his home. He was improving when Mrs. Roddy left.

McNeely Slips On Ice, Ribs Broken

While Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNeely, who reside near the east line of the county, were coming to Tahoka Saturday, the mist froze on the windshield of their car, and Mr. McNeely got out to clear it off. As he stooped over the radiator to do so, his feet slipped on the icy ground and he fell across the front bumper. The impact broke a rib and rendered him unconscious.

Mrs. McNeely assisted him to his feet and succeeded in getting him back into the car and then got another man to drive them on into town. The broken rib was bound up in a doctor's office here and Mr. McNeely was back in town Monday, able to get around, but very careful of his step.

NATIVE OF DENMARK FILLS PULPIT HERE

Rev. Eric Hecsher, a native of Denmark but for many years a resident of this country, filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church here last Sunday morning. He is a most interesting speaker. He is now a student in the Seminary in Fort Worth and is preparing to do missionary work in Greenland.

Born of wealthy parents who were atheists, in far-away Denmark, brought to this country when a child and later taken back to his native land, incurring the wrath of his father because as a boy he embraced Christianity, taken to Greenland and then driven from home because he persisted in his faith, and finally disinherited by his father before his death although his mother had died a Christian, the circumstances of his conversion and of his determination to become a missionary among the semi-savage peoples of the far North constitute a story as thrilling and dramatic as any Horatio Alger production.

Not only the heroic career which is his but the vast fund of knowledge which he has gathered about the peoples of many countries make him a most engaging speaker before any audience.

Mrs. James Skinner Connolly left Sunday for California, to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Fennis Brower.

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PHEBE K. WARNER CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Meeting in the home of Mrs. H. C. Story the Phebe K. Warner Club rendered a Christmas program Tuesday afternoon.

In her characteristic lovely and capable manner, Mrs. Ben Hardy gave the prologue, from the Bible.

A pantomime of the Annunciation was given, with Mrs. A. P. Edwards in stary wings and halo as the angel, and Mrs. A. L. Pace draped as an oriental woman as the Madonna.

The scene was laid with a snow-white background and curtains. The brilliant spotlight made it a beautiful scene, while Mrs. Marvin Munn sang Silent Night, Mrs. Prohl and Mrs. Bucy responding with the echo.

Other Christmas numbers were: Song in the Air, Little Town of Bethlehem, and Joy to the World.

The home of Mrs. Story was beautifully decorated throughout. A huge star covered with star dust looked down on the scene. Strings of silver Christmas bells decorated the fireplace and two silver trees were planted on the cascade. Spotlights of blue illuminated the scene and miniature blue lights softened the surroundings.

This was indeed one of the Club's most beautiful programs of the year. A refreshment plate of hot coffee and fruit cake topped with whipped cream and a cluster of miniature silver bells tied with blue and silver bows were served to the following guests: Mesdames Munn, Bucy, C. B. Townes, W. D. Smith Sr., and Mrs. Jordan of California; members were Mesdames Truett Smith, J. K. Woosley, W. M. Mathis, R. W. Fenton, Sr., Ben Hardy Pete Hegl, J. K. Applegate, R. L. Richardson, E. P. H. Prohl, A. P. Edwards, A. L. Pace, and Mrs. H. C. Story, hostess.

Mr. M. P. Clinton underwent a major operation at the Tahoka Clinic about ten days ago but is now able to be up again, it is reported. He has been sick at intervals for many months.

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No Salt Water In Test Oil Well

The guy who is supposed to be the big boss of this shebang takes the blame for a little error that occurred in our news columns last week, an error that looked as big as a mountain to oil men and ranchers that have land to lease for oil.

We stated that salt water was struck in that Hart well drilled out west of town a few years ago. That was a mistake. No salt water was found in that well. On the other hand, according to J. B. Nance, some oil and gas were encountered, but not in commercial quantities. The

well was drilled to the contract depth.

We are very sorry that the mistake was made. There may be oodles of oil underground out on the old Hart leases. Who knows?

Read The Classified Ads!

STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041 the first Tuesday night in each month at 8:30 Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

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Saturday 21st at 10 a. m.

Free show for children sponsored by Tahoka Rotary Club.

Feature Picture

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George O'Brien - Virginia Dale

COMEDY

"ANDY PANDA GOES FISHING"

SUNDAY & MONDAY

"Lady With Red Hair"

Miriam Hopkins - Claude Rains
Richard Ainley - Mona Barrie
Attention Blondies! Brunettes! and Redheads! It doesn't matter what color your hair is... As long as you use our head.

NEWS & COMEDY

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One Day Only

"Rangers of Fortunes"

Fred McMurtry - Patricia Morrison
Albert Dekker - Gilbert Roland
Three of the most lovable characters the screen has known. In the year's grandest drama of love and action.

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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

"Wyoming"

Wallace Beery - Leo Carrillo
Bob Watson - Marjorie Main
Ann Rutherford - Lee Bowman
Beery's back with a bang... In his best outdoor thriller... Wally makes love to Marjorie Main; a lady Blacksmith. It's a riot, don't miss it.

ADA

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

"Friendly Neighbors"

Weaver Bros. and Elviry
Cliff Edwards - Lois Hanson
It's a shotgun jamboree when the Weavers run across crooked politics in the Ozarks.

Red Ryder—Chapter No. 6

FOX NEWS

Preview SATURDAY 11:00 P. M.

Sunday—Monday

"Angels Over Broadway"

Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.
Rita Hayworth - Thomas Mitchell
A girl out of nowhere... A boy not as tough as he thinks he is... A playwright trying to play—God.

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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

"Laddie"

Gene Stratton-Porter's BEST SELLER
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MIXED NUTS lb. 19c

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Fresh OYSTERS Pint 29c

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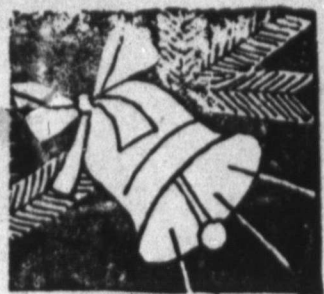
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CATSUP

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Beef Roast lb. 17 1/2c

OLEO lb. 10c

Xmas Hams 1/2 or Whole pound 23c

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Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus: We are three school girls and a boy. Drucilla wants a typewriter and desk. Margaret Ann wants a doll and doctor set and a wrist watch. Evelyn Mae wants a doctor set and a doll with lots of clothes and a color book. Ewell wants a dump car and a gun. All of us want lots of fruit, nuts, and candy.—Drucilla, Margaret Ann, Evelyn Mae, and Ewell Norwood.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy four years old. I have been a pretty good boy but will be satisfied with just a few things. I want you to let my Uncle W. T. at the Piggly Wiggly No. 1 read this and tell him to help you get them. I want a little red steel chair, a slate blackboard, a pair of bedroom slippers, and a little tin suitcase. I want you to tell Aunt Dorothy to get me some skates. With love.—Lee Edward Holden, "Skeeter", Rochester, Texas.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy six years old and have been a pretty good boy. Will you please bring me a gun and scabbard and belt, and cowboy boots and lots of caps for my gun, and fruits, nuts, and candy. Don't forget the little children.—Your little friend, Alvin Dean Murry.

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good little boy. Santa, will you please bring me a baseball, a bat and glove, and a pair of skates, and a knife, and lots of fruit, candy, and nuts. Santa, don't forget all good little boys and girls. Santa, don't forget Miss Lee Northcross.—Your little friend, Harold Wayne Garrett.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl eight years old and in the third grade. I like my teacher, Miss Fulford. Will you please bring me a little sewing kit, a house coat and pajamas, fruit nuts, and candy. Don't forget Mother and Daddy and my grandmas.—Your little friend, Clodell Murry.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy five years old. I want you to bring me a guitar with good strings on it, and a little money bank, lots of fruit, candy, and nuts. Don't forget my two little nephews. They live at Post. Their names are Malcom and Erwin Young. Remember all other little boys and girls. I am thanking you, Santa.—Shirley Jurd Young.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy four years old. I want a drum, Teddy bear, and plenty of fruit, nuts, and candy.—Your little boy, Franklin D. Spruiell.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl in the fourth grade and I have been a good girl. I want a doll, a pair of skates, plenty of fruits, nuts, and candy. Thank you, Santa. Yours truly, Roxy Lee Spruiell.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a big brown-eyed doll, a blackboard, also an ironing board. Bring little brother a car and a wagon, please. We both want some candy, nuts, and fruit.—Neida Jay Roper.

Dear Santa: Please bring a doll, ironing board, a little dial telephone, set of dishes, knives and forks, and lots of fruits, nuts, and candy. Don't forget my little brothers.—Frankie Ora Moffitt.

Dear Santa: We want you to bring us a truck, milk wagon, airplanes, a gun, and lots of nuts, fruit, and candy.—A. J. and Stanley Moffitt.

Mrs. Beulah Pridmore and children are moving into the Mrs. J. H. Cullenback home. Mrs. Pridmore is a sister of Truett Smith and is well known here and at New Home, where she was reared. It is understood that she has accepted a position here, the work to begin about January 1.

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Most any child who takes this tasty laxative once will welcome it the next time he's constipated and it has him headachy, cross, listless, with bad breath, coated tongue or little appetite.

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Odds and Ends *See Eye, the Elder*

Christmas is in the air!

It is getting into the hearts of the people.

In spite of war across the seas, in spite of the hatred and cruelty in the hearts of countless millions, in spite of the greed and the heartless thirst for power that incite some to wholesale and indiscriminate murder and destruction, the prospects are that there will be an almost normal Christmas season in this country. How thankful we ought to be! And how watchful we ought to be to keep these destructive forces out of this country!

It seems pitiable that the children of Europe will have practically no

Christmas this year! Most people are in sympathy with the spirit of the Pope in proposing a cessation of hostilities during the Christmas season. And many people possibly feel that the British Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, displayed a bit of callousness in replying that there could be no war holiday in so far as Great Britain is concerned.

But the impression that this is callousness is far from the truth. He could do nothing else. With the Nazi hordes in possession of France and Belgium and Holland just across the narrow straits of Dover, with Poland and Czechoslovakia and Norway and Denmark lying prostrate under the iron heel of Hitler, with the Fuehrer declaring in every speech he makes that the British Empire must be utterly crushed and England destroyed, with German guns all turned upon the little isles and submarines destroying her freighters laden with food and supplies for her people, Great Britain can not afford to slacken her defensive warfare for a single moment.

If an enemy armed to the teeth were at your gate seeking to take your life would you agree to lay down your gun even for a minute? No man would think of refusing to destroy a mad-dog prowling around his premises simply because it was Christmas.

As for us, we think Churchill is right. It is not a question as to whether the children of England—and of other countries—shall have a few toys at Christmas time but it is a question as to whether they shall have their homes and their liberties and their lives the day of the year following Christmas.

In this connection, it seems that there are still a few people in this country who are stongly opposed to our trying to help Britain drive the big German mad dog away for fear we ourselves might get bit.

Our good friend, the Plainman, who conducts a column in the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal publications, is himself terribly alarmed. He is afraid that if we raise a window and undertake to throw a gun to the British to defend themselves against the big bad wolves howling at their doors the wolves will not only devour John Bull but Uncle Sam as well. Therefore, he thinks that we ought to just stand back and watch the wolves eat up old John in the hope that they will then let us alone.

Mr. Guy cites the case of France. He says that everybody thought that France had the greatest defensive army in the world. The British thought so. They sent an army across the channel to help the French, and then see what happened. The French laid down their arms, he says, and left the British almost trapped at Dunkirk.

"No one foresaw such a thing," he continues, "Not even the English."

Likewise, he argues, no one can foresee what may happen tomorrow. The British defense may collapse just as unexpectedly as he claims the French did. And in that event, he concludes, the Germans probably would get the destroyers and the airplanes and other war materials that we had furnished to the British. Therefore, we should not furnish them to the British, for fear they might eventually fall into the hands of the Germans.

So, The Plainman thinks the British made a mistake in helping the French. They should not have done it. They should have stayed on their own side of the creek and kept their guns and their airplanes at home. What would he have thought of the British if they had done so?

Well, it was not long before that that Charlie was ripping Neville Chamberlain and the British gener-

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ally up one side and down the other for not going to the aid of Czechoslovakia and Poland. Then the British were criminally derelict for not going to the help of these little nations that lay clear across on the other side of Germany from the British Isles. The British had "sold them down the river".

But now, he thinks that they made a mistake in going to the aid of France that lies just across the channel.

And he thinks that we are making a mistake by going to the aid of Britain.

As for us, we would rather help the British to stay the march of the invader than for us to have to do it on this side of the Atlantic.

We would rather furnish airplanes and submarines and destroyers and even battleships to the British to help them win the war than to furnish boys a little later to try to win it after the British have been sunk.

We are for all aid to the British short of war. We are even for all aid to the British short of nothing, if that is necessary to win the war. We would rather win it while the British are still able to help than to have to win it after the British are no longer in position to help.

We think all red-blooded, patriotic Americans should take that position; for everybody now knows that this is not a mere case of "dog eat dog" as between the English and the German. Liberty and Democracy are at stake. It is a fight between systems of government, between the powers of darkness and the angels of light.

We hope that the war may be won before it comes to America.

We hope that the next Christmas may see the minions of darkness completely routed and the dove of peace hovering over every nation.

And may all our people have a happy Christmas even this year.

A Merry Christmas to you, Mr. Plainman.

Dear Santa: Please bring me the following articles: A pair of long stockings, a Betsy Wetsey doll, a little negro doll, and a furniture set. Thank you.—Oella Williams.

Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus: I am in the second grade. I go to Redwine school. I have been very good this year. Please bring me a rubber doll with lots of clothes, and a doll bed, a stove, a set of dishes, and nuts, fruit, and candy. Don't forget Mother and Daddy and Miss Fulford.—Your friend, Bobbie Ruth Kenley.

Dear Santa: I have been real good this year. Please bring me an overnight kit, some handkerchiefs, perfume, story books and a little broom. Love.—Your friend, Geneva Cargile.

P. S. If you are not overloaded bring me a Betsy Wetsey doll.

Dear Santa Claus: I've been real good this year. Please bring me a doll, buggy, and a lunch kit. I also want some candy and nuts.—Your friend, Jaunita Parker.

P. S. Don't forget my little sister, Hazel Ruth, who wants a doll, buggy, and little rocking chair.

Dear Santa Claus: I have been better this year than any other year. Please bring me a scrap book, a little negro doll, a perfume set, and plenty of bobby pins. I would also like to have a pair of new socks. Love—Clelia Parker.

P. S. I also want a Betsy Wetsey doll and a small rocking chair.

Dear Santa Claus, North Pole, Care Lynn County News: We are little girls two and four years old. We have been nice this year. We help our mother; when she tells us to lace our shoes and pick up our toys we say, "I'll try". So will you please bring us a desk, a blackboard, a doctor-and-nurse set, dolls with pigtails, doll buggies, and two stockings, with candy, fruit, and nuts. And Santa, don't forget to bring Peggy Ann the big doll at Collier's Drug if she wins the contest. Remember all the little Sunbeams, the missionaries . . . our leader, Miss Mary, also Mother and Daddy, Byron and Violet Connally. Goodbye, Santa. We will be waiting for you. Love.—Your little friends, Peggy and Nancy Jane Nowlin.

Dear Santa: I want a tricycle, gun, truck, and candy and nuts and fruit, and I hope you a Merry Christmas and the rest of the boys and girls. Maudie Marie Raina wrote this letter for me. I hope you go to see her too.—Your friend, Charlie Stringer, Route 3, O'Donnell.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a pair of house shoes, a little car, one doll, doll clothes, a watch, cooking set, little stove, doll bed, a small French harp, a ring, a tennis racket, boxing gloves, ball, candy and fruit. Thank you.—Ethlene Bucy.

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good boy this year, I think, and I want you to please bring me a wagon with candy, nuts, and fruits, airplane and something for my little brother in it. Santa, I don't live there but I am sending my letter to you so you will remember my Granny, Momma and Grand-dad that live there. Thanks.—Your pal, M. L. Kuykendall Jr.

Dear Santa: Will you please bring me a dump truck, a football, a wheelbarrow and shovel, and a tool chest filled with tools. Remember my little friends and cousins.—Howard Cheat-ham.

P. S. I go to Sunday School every Sunday.

Dear Santa Claus: I want you to bring me a steam shovel, tool chest, and bicycle, and candy, fruit, and nuts. I am seven years old. This is my first year in school. I love my teacher. So long.—Danny Lockaby.

P. S. Don't forget Daddy and Mother.

Dear Santa Claus: We are three little boys, Gene, Billy, and Jack. Gene wants an airplane that shoots out fire and a gun holster. Billy wants an airplane too and a little lamp and a gun holster too. Jack wants a little red wheelbarrow with a big teddy bear in it. We want lots of fruit, nuts, and candy. Thank you, Santa.—Gene, Billy, and Jack's Spears.

P. S. Santa, if my daddy has gone coyote hunting with Ernest Martin and Floyd Curry and their hounds, please light my little lamp for me so Gene and I won't be a cold to sleep in a room by ourselves.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a song book, some new sheet music, and a book titled "Bring Up To Date." Don't forget to bring my old doll a new bottle.—Your friend, Juanita Joyce Williams.

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School Holidays

(Continued from Page 1) their first public appearance at this concert. Miss Myrna Dean Gagnat band sweetheart, was presented to band members and to the public by Pershing Alexander, drum major.

Members of the Senior Class staged "Keep Dreaming", a three-act comedy Wednesday night in the auditorium, under the supervision of Misses Willie Dockray and Ineva Headrick, class sponsors.

Mothers of members of the local chapter of Future Homemakers of Texas were named honorees Thursday evening at 6 o'clock when the girls and their sponsor, Miss Mary Kathryn Gunter entertained with a twilight reception in the Home Economics department of Tahoka High School.

Most of the teachers will spend Christmas holidays out-of-town visiting relatives and friends. Some plan to spend the holiday in Tahoka. Mr. Lee Dodson, high school principal, will visit with relatives in Olton during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pace will be in Memphis, Childress and Amarillo with relatives and friends.

Sup't and Mrs. W. T. Hanes and Billy plan to be out-of-town for a few days visiting friends and relatives at Commerce and Greenville. They also plan to attend the state championship high school football game.

Miss Ineva Headrick will go to Santa Fe and Madrid, New Mexico to see the famous Christmas lights and scenes. She will spend the remaining holidays in Amarillo and Clarendon with relatives.

Miss Willie Pearl Dockray plans to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. L. E. Dockray at 2319, Twenty-seventh Street in Lubbock.

Coach and Mrs. Leo Jackson will visit their parents in Plomot and Floydada during the holiday.

Mrs. Pauline Walker will remain in Tahoka for most of the holidays but plans to go to Hale Center for Christmas.

Miss Elizabeth McEwin will leave for Terrell Friday night to spend

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the holidays with her parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope Haynes and children will go to Grand Saline and other points in East Texas to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamblen and two children will spend the Christmas holidays in Abilene visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Hamblen's father, Rev. J. H. Hamblen, is pastor of the First Methodist Church in Abilene. Mrs. Hamblen's mother teaches school in the public schools there.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Browning will spend the holidays in Ft. Worth and Sweetwater.

Miss Mary Kathryn Gunter plans to spend the holidays with her parents and friends in Claude, Texas.

Miss Ruby Nell Smith will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith of Brownfield, Texas.

Miss Lucille Hall will visit relatives and friends in Littlefield.

Miss Georgia Taylor will visit with her parents in Texhoma, Oklahoma during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirkwood plan to go to Stratford during the Christ-

mas vacation.

Mrs. Louise Wyatt will be in Tahoka and is expecting a house guest from Albany.

Mrs. L. F. Craft, Mrs. Linnie Finch and Mrs. Deck Dunagan will remain in Tahoka. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bostick also plan to be in Tahoka for the holidays.

Woodward...

(Continued From Page 1) Tuesday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Coleman, of which he was a member.

Mr. Woodward had been insurance commissioner for about a year.

The first office he held was that of county attorney of Coleman county, from 1907 to 1910, going from that office to the staff of Attorney-General Jewell P. Lighfoot. He was state senator from 1925 to 1935, and was a candidate for attorney-general in 1934, being defeated by Bill McCraw.

He had also served for a time as president of the Texas State Bar Association. His father, Judge J. O. Woodward, was district judge of the

Coleman district for 25 years.

In addition to the widow and a son, he is survived by a brother and four sisters, the brother being Garland A. Woodward of Houston, who resided and practiced law in Lubbock a few years back in the 'twenties.

Mr. Woodward had many friends and admirers in Lynn county, as well as most other counties of Texas, particularly West Texas.

HIGHWAY BONDS FAIL IN FLOYD AND HALL COUNTIES

In highway bond elections held in Floyd and Hall counties last Saturday, the proposal was defeated in each instance. In each county a majority was given in favor of the bonds but not a two-thirds majority as required by law.

The proposal in Hall county was to issue bonds in the sum of \$500,000 and in Floyd county in the sum of \$300,000, to be issued only if assumed by the State.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Thomas and children of Grassland expect to spend Christmas with her uncle, R. S. Appling, at Samantha, Ala.

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